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(1832-1892) Alexander Lyman HOLLEY  
American metallurgist. Born at  
Lakewood, Conn. In 1854, in partnership  
with COLBURN, he became editor of  
the "Railroad Advocate"; and later  
edited other publications. Went to  
England (1863); purchased the  
Bessemer patents and started the  
Bessemer plant at Troy, N.Y. (1865),  
and erected steel works at Harrisburg,

Pa. (1867). Became President of the Institute  
of Mining Engineers (1875) and lectured  
on iron and steel manufacture at  
Columbia University (1879-1882)